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Stated Meeting, February 4, 1845.

VICE PRESIDENT MORTON in the Chair.

DONATIONS TO MUSEUM.

The following specimens of Ammonites from the Oxford clay, near Chippenham, Worcestershire, England, were presented by Dr. Thomas B. Wilson, viz : A. Elizabethæ, (3 specimens;) A. Comptoni; A. Gulielmi; A. Kœnigi; and A. Leachii.

Specimen of Anthracite coal, containing a large seam of mineralized charcoal, from Mauch Chunk, Pennsylvania. From Mr. Erskine Hazard.

Specimens of the alluvial sediment of the Nile, obtained from three separate localities, as indicated in the letter from Prof. Lepsius, read at the meeting of the 21st Jan. last. From Prof. Lepsius.

Also sand from the thermal spring at Okmé, on the frontier of the province of Butir-el-Hagar. From the same.

DONATIONS TO LIBRARY.

Variarum Naturæ; or, The Naturalist's Miscellany. By George Shaw, M.D. F.R.S.; the figures by F. P. Nodder. 18 vols. 8vo. London, 1790. From J. P. Wetherill, Esq.
Indian Antiquities, or dissertations relative to the geography, form of government, commerce, literature, &c. of Hindostan. By Thomas Maurice. 7 vols. 8vo. London. From the same.

Histoire physique, politique, et naturelle de l'Ile de Cuba : par M. Ramon de la Sagra. Livs. 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50 and 51. Presented by J. Price Wetherill, S. G. Morton, A. L. Elwyn, J. S. Phillips, Wm. S. Vaux and Dr. Geo. C. Leib.

The American Journal of Science and Arts. Vol. 48, No. 1. Jan. 1845. From the Editors.

The following publications, in pamphlet form, from the Author, M. Edm. de Selys Longchamps, of Leige, viz :
Note sur une nouvelle Mésange d'Europe.

Note sur deux espèces de Musaraignes observées nouvellement en Belgique :

Note sur le *Mus agrestis* de Linné :

Nouvelles additions aux Libellulidées de la Belgique de 1840 à 1843 :

Notices sur les Libellulidées extraites des Bulletins de l'Académie Royale de Bruxelles :

Extrait de la Revue Zoologique par la Société Cuvierienne, (Aug., 1841 and Nov., 1842.)

The Taconic System, based on observations in New York, Massachusetts, Maine, Vermont and Rhode Island. By Ebenezer Emmons, M. D. 4to. Albany, 1844. From the Author.

The American Quarterly Journal of Agriculture and Science, conducted by Dr. E. Emmons and A. J. Prime. Vol. 1, No. 1. Albany, 1845. From the Editors.

Transactions of the Linnean Society of London. Vol. 19, part iii. London, 1844 :

Proceedings of the same from June 20, 1843, to June 18, 1844 : and List of Members of the Society for 1844. From the Society.

Twenty-fourth Annual Report of the Leeds Philosophical and Literary Society, 1843 and 1844. From the Society.

An Introductory Lecture on the means of promoting the intellectual improvement of the students and physicians of the Valley of the Mississippi, delivered in the Medical Institute of Louisville. By Daniel Drake, M. D. Louisville, 1844. From the Author.

A letter was read from M. Longchamps, dated Leige, May, 1844, accompanying the above donation of his publications, and in reference to them ; and also requesting exchanges of species of the insect family Libellulidæ, and of Mammalia.

A letter was read from Dr. Alfred T. King, dated Greensburg, Westmoreland Co., Pa., Jan., 1845, acknowledging the receipt of his notice of election as a Correspondent.

Dr. Morton offered the following, which was adopted: Resolved, That the Librarian and each member of the Library Committee be furnished with a stamp containing the corporate title, &c., of the Society, impressions of which to be placed on the title page of each book in the Library.

Also resolved, That the subject be referred to the Library Committee, with power to act.

Stated Meeting, February 11th, 1845.

VICE PRESIDENT MORTON in the Chair.

DONATIONS TO MUSEUM.

Seventeen specimens of Minerals, chiefly from the vicinity of Clermont, France. Presented by Mr. Joseph Clark, of St. Louis, Mo.

Specimens of Copper Ores, and of Native Copper, from Erie, Erie county, Pa., and a remarkable fossil, seemingly non-descript, from the same locality. From Dr. Wm. Johns, late of Erie, through Dr. Geo. W. Norris.

DONATIONS TO LIBRARY.

Discourse before the Society of the Sons of New England of the City and County of Philadelphia, on the history of the early settlement of their country; being their first anniversary. Delivered Dec. 21, 1844, by their President, Samuel Breck. From the author.

A complete series of Plans of the Potomac Aqueduct; with an 8vo. vol. explanatory of the same. From Dr. Francis G. Murphy, of Alexandria, D. C., through Dr. Colin Arrott, of Philadelphia.

Professor Johnson read some remarks additional to his paper on the methods of determining the calorific powers of